### THE HERALD.

### Major Andre's Watch.

The Revolutionary episode known A. L. Morton, Clerk, Hartford, as the capture and execution of the E. R. Murrell, Master Commissioner, Hartford gallant young Englishman, Major E. L. Wise, Jather, Hartford. John Andre, who, when caught as a | Court begins on the second Mondays in May spy within the American lines on his and Nevember, and continues three weeks each hurried journey from West Point to term. Now York, suffered the penalty of Hon. W. F. Gregory, Judge, Hartford. Arneld's treason is familiar to every Capt. Sam. K. Cox, Clerk, Hartford. American school-boy, and his vain J. P. Sanderfer, Attorney, Hartford. after of his purse and watch for the life | Court begins on the first Monday in every which it seemed so hard to lose, has menth. become a matter of history. His captors were poor, humble men, to whom July and detaber. either gift must have seemed a small fortune, but American honor proved it elf true as American justice was indexible. What became of Andre's J. J. Leach, Assessor, Counwell, purse after his death is not known, but the watch is still preserved and W. L. Rowe, School Commissioner, Hartford. is now in the possession of Mr. Atwood, Centennial Commissioner from Wisconsin, by whom it was received yesterday. The watch is of very pure gold, plain and without chasing. It is open faced, and shows by the length of the stem that it once had an outer cover. On the inner cases are the following: "Wind up the right."

"Turn the hands," and under this "Jehn Andre, 1774." The maker's name is also stamped on the case, "Thomas Campbell, Albany." The history of the interesting relic as known. consia, by whom it was received yeshistory of the interesting relie as known 2. 0. Hoggs Palls.
Boll's Store District No. 4—Ben Newton. to Mr. Atwood, is as follows: A fel- J. P. P. O. Buford. Courts held March H,

Legisland, where it would be considered a recred relic. Subsequently the watch passed into the custody of a pawnbroker in Philadelphia, with whom it J. Harder, constable, P. O. Fordsville, Courts held March 21, Jane 19, September 23, December 21, L. Burton, J. P. P. O. Fordsville, Courts held March 23, Jane 19, September 22, J. L. Barch 29, June 7, September 22, J. L. Barch 29, June 7, September 22, December 8, J. L. Harder, constable, P. O. Fordsville, Courts held March 29, June 7, September 22, December 8, J. L. Harder, constable, P. O. Fordsville, Courts held March 29, June 7, September 22, December 8. broker in Philadelphia, with whom it J. I. Harder, constable, P. O. Fordeville, remained for a number of years, when P. O. Whitesville, Daviess county. Court it was reclaimed by a gentleman whose name is not know, and from whose possession it passed into that of Mrs. Miranda Calkins, a resident of Hebron, Wis. This lady has been its customary of the country relie bears upon its face evidences of

### The Grandmother's Trick.

with the grandmother's trick. Judge Richard Turner was then on the bench. The judge was eminently practical in his character—knew nothing of cards or tricks of those who contrive the stable.

bar 14. ——constable.
Sulphur Springs district No. 16—R. G. Welding, J. P. P. O. Sulphur Springs. Courts held March 21, June 20, September 7, December 7, Proceedings of the stable.

Bartlett's Precinct No. 11—W. H. Comming. to find a livelihood by handling them.

He had never heard of the grand
He had never heard of the grandJackson Yates J. P. P. O. Buford. Courts

Jackson Yates J. P. P. O. Buford. Courts mother's trick, and when the indict- held March 23, June 9, September 26, De ment was read asked if there was anything in the statutes making the grandmother's trickan act of swindling. He was answered there was not, but that Charles Griffin, Marshat. it came under the head of swindling | Besver Dam. - E. W. Cooper, Judge, first generally. "I don't know what it is," Saturday in January, April, July and October. said the judge, "and it is moved to quash this indictment because the Saturay in January, April, July and October grannmother's trick is not in the stat- -H. P. Wise, Marshal. utes denounced as swindling."

"If your honor please," said the District Attorney, "we have a witness here who undertsands and can play office address Mellenry, courts held third Satthe trick, and if the Court please we urday in January, April, July and October. will have him show to your Honor this MeHenry. trick."

"Let him be called, then." "Mr. Sheriff, eall Kail Hurst," said

the attorney. It was done and a pack of cards was provided.

"Can you show me the grandmother's trick, Mr. Hurst?" asked the Judge. "If you can, do so."

Hurst took the cards and shuffling ing at half past eight o'clock. them well, held them up, and asked the Judge to turn over the top card. He did so and said it was the knave of hearts.

card?" asked Hurst, as he held the pack in one hand.

"The knave of hearts." "Knaves play tricks, your Honor," answered facetiously Hurst. "Are you L. Barrett, N. G. WM. Phires B. P. Berryman, D. D. G. M.

"Yes, I know it is." "Now perhaps your Honor would

like to bet something on it." "Show HARTFORD LODGE NO. 12. the trick, sir, testily ordered the Judge."

ance you say the top card is the knave of hearts, will your Honor turn it over." Gross R. WILLIAMS. W. Sect.

The Judge reached forth his hand, and carefully turned the card, when it surned up the ace of hearts. Throwing himself back in his seat evidently HARTFORD LODGE, NO. 156 much surprised, he brought his clenched fist down upon his docket, exclaiming quite vehemently: "Swindlingswindling of the very worst sort; let the case proceed," and the indicted was found guilty, fined and imprisoned to KEYSTONE CHAPTER, NO. 110 the extent of the law .- [New Orleans

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